

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
LOK SABHA**

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NEW ORDNANCE FACTORIES
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government proposes to establish new ordnance factories;
- (b) if so, the details thereof, location-wise; and
- (c) the time by which these proposed ordnance factories are likely to be established?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR DEFENCE PRODUCTION (RAO INDERJIT SINGH)

- (a) & (b): A proposal to set up an ordnance factory to manufacture new generation carbines at Korwa in Sultanpur district of Uttar Pradesh has been approved in 2007. There is no other proposal under consideration for establishing new ordnance factories.
- (c) Ordnance Factory at Korwa will be established by October 2010.